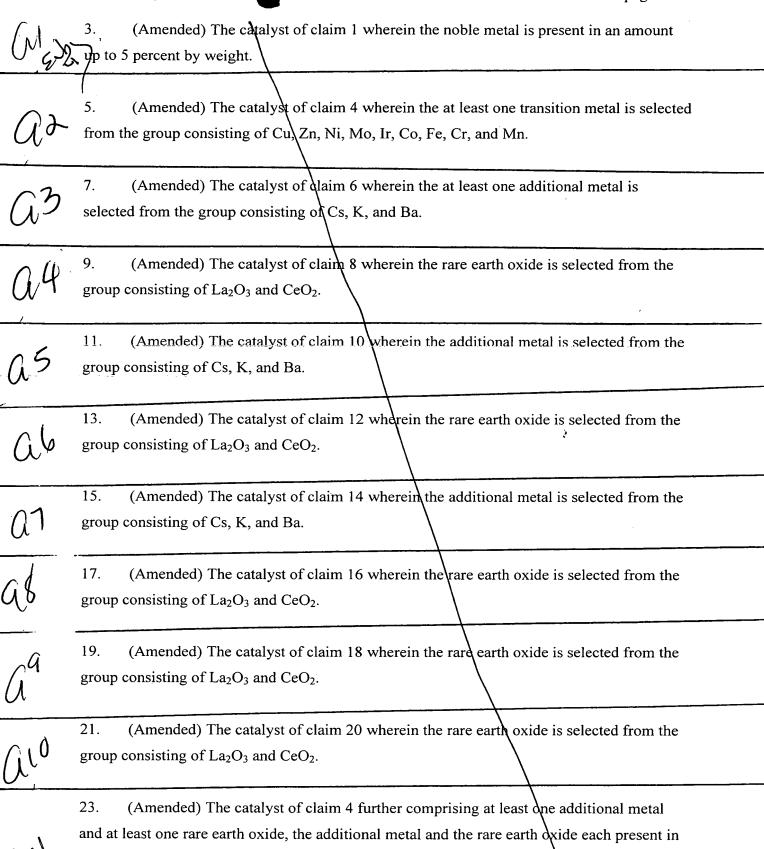
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an amount of at most 5 percent, the additional metal is selected from the group consisting of

- 24. (Amended) The catalyst of claim 4 further comprising at least one additional metal and at least one rare earth oxide, the additional metal and the rare earth oxide each present in an amount of at most 5 percent, the additional metal comprising at least one selected from alkali metals and alkaline earth metals, the rare earth oxide is selected from the group consisting of La₂O₃ and CeO₂.
- 25. (Amended) The catalyst of claim 5 further comprising at least one additional metal and at least one rare earth oxide, the additional metal and the rare earth oxide each present in an amount of at most 5 percent, the additional metal is selected from alkali metals and alkaline earth metals.
- 26. (Amended) The catalyst of claim 5 further comprising at least one additional metal and at least one rare earth oxide, the additional metal and the rare earth oxide each present in an amount of at most 5 percent, the additional metal is selected from the group consisting of Cs, K, and Ba.
- 27. (Amended) The catalyst of claim 5 further comprising at least one additional metal and at least one rare earth oxide, the additional metal and the rare earth oxide each present in an amount of at most 5 percent, the additional metal is selected from the group consisting of alkali metals and alkaline earth metals, the rare earth oxide is selected from the group consisting of La₂O₃ and CeO₂.
- 28. (Amended) The catalyst of claim 5 further comprising at least one additional metal and at least one rare earth oxide, the additional metal and the rare earth oxide each present in an amount of at most 5 percent, the additional metal is selected from the group consisting of Cs, K, and Ba, the rare earth oxide is selected from the group consisting of La₂O₃ and CeO₂.
- 29. (Amended) A catalyst for converting NO_x in exhaust gases to NH₃ comprising: at least one compound represented by a formula AB_{1-x}M_xO₃, wherein A is a rare earth metal, B is a transition metal, M is a noble metal, and wherein x is in a range from 0 to 0.3.

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